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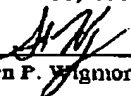
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The Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to consider and initial the attached PTO-1449 forms that were previously filed with six Information Disclosure Statements (IDS's) prior to the Notice of Allowance of February 28, 2005. The Applicant has not received copies of these PTO-1449 forms that bear the Examiner's initials.

For the Examiner's convenience, attached hereto are copies of the IDS's with the PTO-1449 forms that were not properly initialed by the Examiner. These documents were filed on the following dates: February 7, 2003, PTO-1449 (3-pgs.); April 3, 2002, PTO-1449 (1-pg.); March 22, 2002, PTO-1449 (1-pg.); July 26, 2001, PTO-1449 (1-pg.); June 27, 2001, PTO-1449 (1-pg.); and August 18, 2000, PTO-1449 (1-pg.). The Applicant has also provided post card receipts for each submission that evidences the receipt of these documents in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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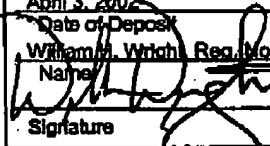
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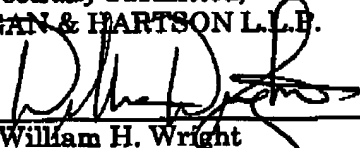
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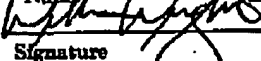
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